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Message or Comment

In response to the Office Action dated July 15, 2004, attached is:

1. a transmittal letter (in duplicate);
2. a petition for a 3-month extension of time (in duplicate); and
3. a Reply to the July 15, 2004 Office Action.

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APPLICANTS: Michael Mullican et al.
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Commissioner for Patents
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: ☐ a Supplemental Amendment; ☒ a Reply to Office Action; ☐ Appendix I; ☒ Petition for Extension of Time; ☐ a Supplemental Amendment; ☐ a substitute Specification; ☐ a Declaration; ☐ a Supplemental Declaration; ☐ a Power of Attorney; ☐ an Associate Power of Attorney; ☐ formal drawings; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.


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- ☒ A fee for additional claims is not required.
- ☐ A fee for additional claims is required.
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